MALLE GOWDA and M. HUTCHE GOWDA (Mudgere Taluk); C. R. NIRVANAPPA SETTY (Special Interests) and M. SIDDALINGAPPA SETTY (Chikmagalur Taluk).—

Q.—35. Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) Since the introduction of the Village Panchayet Regulation in Mysore—

(i) What is the amount of income collected ?

(ii) What is the amount yet to be recovered ?

(iii) What is the amount expended in several panchayets till now ?

(*b*) Of the amount expended—

(i) What is the amount spent on very important items such as, village sanitation, roads, lights, drinking water, education, medical aid, etc. ?

(ii) What is the amount spent on less important items such as, name boards, gate pillars, circles and village panchayet halls, etc., and what is the estimated amount that may be required for the annual maintenance of these works (answers to this question to be furnished talukwar separately so as to facilitate the verification of the several amounts with the totals) ?

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT.—

A.—35. (*a*) and (*b*) A statement furnishing the information available is placed on the table.

MESSRS. BAGAMANE DEVA GOWDA (Chikmagalur Taluk); N. M. SIVALINGAPPAIAH (Kadur Taluk); CHANDIAH (Tarikere Taluk); M. THIMMIAH (Tarikere Municipality); D. V. HALAPPA (Birur Municipality); K. THIMME GOWDA (Kadur Taluk); K. MALLE GOWDA and M. HUTCHE GOWDA (Mudgere Taluk); C. R. NIRVANAPPA SETTY (Special Interests) and M. SIDDALINGAPPA SETTY (Chikmagalur Taluk).—

Q.—36. Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) What is the number of villages in each taluk in the State (*dakhala* villages to be reckoned as separate villages in furnishing replies) ?

(*b*) (i) Of the total number of villages, in how many villages are there facilities for drinking water in summer ?

(ii) In how many villages, where no such facilities exist, has drinking water to be brought from outside the village ?

(*c*) Of the villages in which water has to be brought from outside—

(i) What is the number of villages to which water has to be brought from a distance of half a mile ?

(ii) Number of villages to which water has to be brought from a distance of one mile ?

(iii) The number of villages to which water has to be brought from a distance of over a mile (answers to be kindly given talukwar) ?

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT.—

A.—36. (*a*) to (*c*) A statement furnishing the required particulars is laid on the table (*vide* Appendix).

MESSRS. BAGAMANE DEVA GOWDA and M. SIDDALINGAPPA SETTY (Chikmagalur Taluk); K. THIMME GOWDA (Kadur Taluk) and D. V. HALAPPA (Birur Municipality) :—

Q.—39. Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) Since what time, Rule 31 A (2) of the Village Police Rules is in force ?

(*b*) (i) In what villages of Chikmagalur Taluk has it been brought to force during the past one year ?

(ii) Previous to this, when and in what villages of this taluk was this rule brought into force and for what reasons ?

(*c*) (i) What are the causes that warrant the enforcement of this rule ?

(ii) What is the procedure to be adopted ?

(*d*) (i) In villages where this section is in force, have any complaints been preferred by the villagers and enquiry held ?

(ii) If so, by whom ?

(iii) Under what circumstances and with what result ?

(*e*) (i) In what villages and against how many persons were cases instituted under the rule ?

(ii) If so, with what result ?

CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.—*A.*—39. (*a*) From 1879.

(*b*) (i) It was brought into force in the villages of Mugalavalli, Indavara and Mothavara in the Chikmagalur Taluk during the past one year.

(ii) The Rules are in force in all villages but in some villages they are not being enforced. They are brought into force to ensure the safety of persons and property in the village.

(*c*) (i) The safety of person and property in villages.

(ii) The Police Patel is authorised to require 2 or 3 adult males in the village to keep watch by night in the village choultry and patrol the village. For details *vide* Rules 31 A (i) and (iii).

(*d*) (i), (ii) and (iii) In Indavara village some obstruction is being met. In June last the villagers presented a joint petition both to the Deputy Commissioner and to the Superintendent of Police, Kadur District, that the Rules might not be enforced in the village. They were informed that their request could not be granted. Again in September 1933, the villagers presented a similar petition to the Deputy Commissioner with a like result.

(*e*) (i) Fourteen cases were instituted against 42 villagers of Indavara village. The cases were withdrawn as the notification required under Rule 31 (3) of the Rules *re.* the place for the watch had not been formally announced.

(ii) One case filed against three persons of the same village in July 1934 for a similar offence ended in acquittal owing to the defect in notifying the place for the night watch as per Rule 31 (3) of the Rules.

MESSRS. MURIGAPPA GOWDA and MUDUBAGILU KRISHNAPPA (Nagar Taluk).—

Q.—40. Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) How many sub-judge's courts are there in the State ; where are they?

(*b*) How many civil courts are there in the State : where are they ?

(*c*) How many original suits and miscellaneous suits were instituted during 1931, 1932 and 1933 in each court ?

(*d*) How many original and miscellaneous suits were finally disposed of during the years 1931, 1932 and 1933 in each court ?

(*e*) How many old suits of the years previous to 1931 are still undisposed of with details ?

CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.—*A.*—40. (*a*) to (*d*) Details are furnished in Appendix.

(*e*) Details are furnished below :—

	Original suits	Small cause	Miscellaneous
Munsiffs Courts (27) ...	1,017	37	93
Subordinate Judges' Courts (8) ...	114	4	6
District Judges' Courts (4) ...	53	...	54
Total ...	1,184	41	153

MR. TUDKI RAMANNA GOWDA (Tirthahalli Taluk).

Q.—42. Will the Government be pleased te state :—

(*a*) What is the annual expenditure incurred for the maintenance of the establishment to detect sandal smuggling cases ?

(*b*) (i) What is the forest establishment and the expenditure incurred therefor (details to be kindly furnished) ?

(ii) What is the police establishment and expenditure incurred therefor (yearwar details to be kindly furnished from 1931 onwards) ?

(*c*) (i) How many cases were detected by these establishments ?

(ii) In how many cases were convictions secured : in how many cases accused were acquitted ?

(*d*) How many cases were detected by departments other than those referred to above ?

(*e*) How long will this establishment be maintained ?

CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.—*A.*—42. (*a*) Rs. 22,000 in 1933-34.

(*b*) (i) Four Rangers, three on Rs. 85 and one on Rs. 70 per mensem including allowances.